



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF:

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
HEADQUARTERS, U.S. ARMY GARRISON, ALASKA
1060 GAFFNEY ROAD #6000
FORT WAINWRIGHT, ALASKA 99703-6000

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22 AUGUST 2005

MEMORANDUM FOR SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: FWA Garrison Policy #10 - Excessive Stereo Noise from Privately Owned Vehicles (POV)

1. This policy establishes procedures for dealing with excessive stereo noise coming from privately owned vehicles (POV) operated on Fort Wainwright (FWA), Alaska.
2. This policy is applicable to the owners/operators of all POVs operated on FWA. All POVs operated on FWA are subject to the provisions established herein.
3. For this policy "Excessive Noise" is defined as: playing music, recordings or amplifying instruments generating loud sound or noises from a POV that can be heard beyond 50 feet of a vehicle.
4. The Military Police (MP) may cite individuals in violation of this policy under two provisions:
 - a. A ticket may be issued for "Disorderly Conduct" under Alaska Statute 11.61.110.
 - b. Under Article 134 of the UCMJ, "Disorderly Conduct/Disturbing the Peace," on a military installation.
5. Persons who accept the privilege of driving on a military installation must comply with the laws and regulations governing motor vehicle operations on the installation. If a person fails to comply with applicable laws and regulations, their driving privileges may be suspended or revoked by the FWA Garrison Commander as outlined in AR 190-5. Consideration will be given for location, time of day or night, and will be equally applied regardless of race, rank, gender, status (civilian, DoD or active duty), or the type of music being played in the POV.
6. Failure to comply with this policy can result in the violator being:
 - a. Issued a DD Form 1805 (Disturbing the Peace) by the MP.
 - b. Issued a warning letter from the FWA Garrison Commander through the Chain of Command.

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c. Suspension of driving privileges as follows:

(1) 1st Offense: warning letter from the FWA Garrison Commander.

(2) 2nd Offense in 12 months: 3 months suspension.

(3) 3rd Offense in 18 months: 6 months suspension.

7. Driving privilege suspensions will become effective when the FWA Garrison Commander or his representative gives the person a written notice and an opportunity for an administrative hearing.

8. POC is the FWA Garrison CSM, 353-7665.

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FWA Garrison Commander

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